



WESTERN TAR SANDS, INC.

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Mr. Ronald Daniels
Assistant Director
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
1588 West North Temple
Salt Lake City, UT 84116

Dear Mr. Daniels:

You are cordially invited to attend the Western Tar Sands, Inc. groundbreaking ceremony for its tar extraction plant being built for the company by Tracor, Inc. on Tuesday, March 31, 1981. The site for this ceremony is 36 miles southeast of Vernal, Utah.

Western Tar Sands, Inc. has developed a process for the extraction of petroleum products from tar sands. It owns or controls 6,440 acres of potential tar sands reserves in Utah. To the company's knowledge this is the first such plant to be built in the United States.

Western Tar Sands will be pleased to provide air transportation for its guests from Denver, Salt Lake City and Casper to Vernal and ground transportation to the site.

The event will commence at 11:00 a.m. and will be followed by lunch in Vernal. We will then return to the planes for the flight back to Denver, Salt Lake City and Casper.

If you plan to attend, please contact us no later than Wednesday, March 25; otherwise we will not be able to assure you a seat on the plane.

Please call Lynn Davis at Western Tar Sands in Denver at 303-892-1996.

Yours very truly,

L. I. Hart Jr.

Louis I. Hart, Jr.
President